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Division Order and Technical Deficiency, Bear Canyon Mine, Co-Op Mining Company, ACT/015/025-90A. Emery County, Utah

Enclosed is a response to the remaining deficiency on the above-reference Division Order. The deficiency stated that the road leading to the Ball Park area was removed from the permit area and should be included in the Bear Canyon permit area.

Co-Op originally added the Ball Park area in order to store substitute topsoil material which Co-Op purchased to alleviate a deficiency in onsite topsoil material. Prior to this action, the Ball Park and road, which was the access to the recreation area owned by C.O.P. Development Company, already existed. No work was performed on the road relating to mining activities. The original maps to which the Ball Park area was added to the permit area did not include the road in (The original Plate 2-4, dated 5/31/85, the permit area. latest revision date 10/15/90, included only the Ball Park and not the road.) In 1991, Plates 2-4, 3-2, 7-1 and 8-5 were regenerated from an aerial survey which Co-Op had performed in response to Division Order 90A. When the maps were submitted, the access road to the Ball Park was erroneously added during the review process and was not approved. The approved permit description never included the access road to the Ball Park. During subsequent reviews of technical deficiencies related to this same Division Order, it was discovered that the access road had been erroneously added to the permit area. Since the original addition was never approved, the maps were revised to exclude the road at that time.

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In the latest review of technical deficiencies relating to this same Division Order (90A), in-place materials were approved for use as substitute topsoil, eliminating the need for the substitute material stored on the Ball Park. Since the material is no longer needed, the enclosed submittal proposes to remove the Ball Park from the permit area.

If you have any questions, call Charles Reynolds at (801) 381-2450.

Thank You,

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